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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 2 (AP)-MOSCOW RADIO SAID TODAY THE RESIGNATION OF ALLEN W. DULLES AS CHIEF OF THE U.S. CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY WAS AN ADMISSION OF BANKRUPTCY OF AMERICA'S POSITIONS OF STRENGTH POLICY.

"ALLEN DULLES' STAY IN OFFICE... DURING THE FIRST MONTHS OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S ADMINISTRATION DISCREDITED THE UNITED STATES IN THE EYES OF THE WORLD," THE SOVIET RADIO SAID IN A BROADCAST BEAMED TO NORTH AMERICA.

"THE FAILURE OF THE INTERVENTION AGAINST CUBA ORGANIZED BY THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY BROUGHT ABOUT AN UNPRECEDENTED FALL IN THE U.S.A.'S PRESTIGE AMONG PEOPLE IN ALL OTHER COUNTRIES."

"ALLEN DULLES AND THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY HE HEADED HAVE
COMPROMISED THEMSELVES SO MUCHTHAT IT SEEMS THE WHITE HOUSE HAS
DECIDED TO GET RID OF SUCH AN ODIOUS PERSONAGE."

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